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Applicant: B. Dharmarajan Attorney Docket No.: MSFT115430  
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A. Amendment Transmittal

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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COMPUTATION OF FEE FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For		Present Extra		Rate		Additional Fee
Total Claims	21	-	21	=	0	x	18	=	0
Independent Claims	2	-	3	=	0	x	86	=	0
TOTAL									\$0

B. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

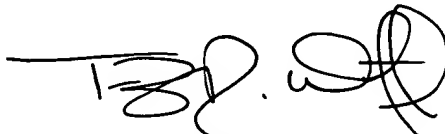
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for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this document is enclosed.

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action, dated March 23, 2004, from the United States Patent and Trademark Office ("Office"). In view of the Amendment, the Applicant respectfully requests allowance of the instant application. Amendments and Applicant's remarks follow.

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